1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3	Bihar	58,10,867	3,99,475	1,22,753	1,30,352	1,62,444
4	Gujarat	48,48,586	4,05,095	66,995	75,858	54,747
5	Himachal ffradesh	1,97,283	35,796	3,804	5,274	3,899
6	Karnataka	18,25, 203	24,797	12,145	10,954	8,997
7	Kerala	2,61,475	23,307	3,433	6,711	6,804
8	Madhya radeeh.	1,19,87,031	8,44,340	1,96,490	2,41,862	2,80,506
9	Maharashtra	57,72,038	6,56,909	89,009	81,940	1,06,350
10	Manipur	3,87,977	31,156	4,539	4,500	4,499
11	Orissa	59,15,067	4,90,963	1,13,299	1,43,000	1,92,858
12	Rajasthan	41,83,124	2,05,703	61,726	86,616	94,23
13	Sikkim	73,623	7,959	2,800	3,809	3,421
14	Tamil Nadu	5,20,226	28,884	10,059	11,845	9,854
15	Tripura	5,83,920	43,823	9,730	11,800	11,888
16	Uttar Pradesh	2,32,705	11,032	4,496	4,570	4,708
17	West Bengal	30,70,672	2,78,233	74,228	80,677	74,514
18	A & N Islands	22,362	7,793	1,059	918	553
19	Goa, Daman & Diu	10,721	3,226	741	598	776
	TOTAL :	39,66,609	8,72,857	10,29,662	11,99,659	

* 1971 Census.

Plantation of Trees under NREP

3088. SHRI DEBA PRASAD RAY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that as per the provisions, 10 per cent of the fund allotted for NERP has to be spent on social forestry;

(b) if so, what has been the coverage during the last three years in the matter of planting trees under the same scheme; and

(c) what is the monitoring system to ensure proper implementation of the scheme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) 10 per cent of the allocations under NREP were earmarked for Social Forestry Works from the Commencement of the programme. This was enhanced to 20 per cent from 1985-86 and to 25 per cent from 1986-87.

(b) The area covered by tree plantation under the programme and the

expenditure incurred thereon are as under:—

Year	Expenditure incurred (Rs. in crores)	Area corered (lakh hectare)
1985-86 . . .	77.40	1.16
1986-87 . . .	118.49	2.15
1987-88 . . .	118 92 (Provisional)	1.49

(c) The monitoring of National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) and so also the Social Forestry works under the programme is done by the State Governments as well as the Union Government. The Union Government monitors the programme through prescribed periodical reports, visits of the officers and convening occasional meetings with the State authorities. The Government of India also introduced the countrywide concurrent evaluation studies with the help of eminent research institutions with a view to monitoring the programmes more closely and taking measures for its qualitative improvement. Detailed evaluation studies have also been conducted through the Programme Evaluation Organisation (PEO) of the Planning Commission, and the reputed institutions to assess whether the implementation of the programme is in accordance with the guidelines and whether the objectives are being achieved.

Removal of Jhuggis in DIZ area

3089. DR. (SHRIMATI) NAJMA HEPTULLA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of a cluster of Jhuggis bording some Government quarters in IB Block, Sector II, Havelock Square, DIZ area Gole Market, New Delhi resulting in filthy and unhygienic conditions in the surrounding areas; and

(b) if so, what steps Government have taken or propose to take to clean the area particularly in view of the outbreak of waterborne diseases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) and (b) The Government are aware of the cluster of jhuggies in Sector II, Havelock Square DIZ Area. Eviction notices have been served on the jhuggi dwellers. Some of them have, however, taken a stay order from the Supreme Court. Action to get the stay vacated has been initiated. The area immediately around the blocks is being cleaned by the C.P.W.D.

Inter-Ministerial Committee for care of elderly persons

3090. SHRI KAILASH PATI MISHRA:

SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE:

Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 2449 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 18th March, 1988 and state:

(a) whether the Inter-Ministerial Committee constituted to examine the *recommendations of a Round Table* Discussion on the care of elderly persons and to suggest a programme for care and protection of the elderly persons has since made any progress in their work; and

(b) what are the details of its recommendation and Government's response thereto?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRIMATI SUMATI ORAON): (a) and (b) The Inter-Ministerial Committee has held one meeting. In this meeting various aspects relating to the elderly namely, health, transport